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as "one in a thousand" he naturally regards the others as ciphers.-Boston Transcript.

hunter. I'm sorry I'm rich." "So am I. Everybody will say that you

plains the gloss.-Philadelphia

down to one call per week .- Ex-

Charley-"Did you kiss that Boston girl you were making such desperate love to a moment ago?" Freddy-"Can't you see the frost on my mustache?"-Exchange.

The man who can play cards with his wife as a partner, and never scowl during an entire evening, may as well order his halo at once. -Boston Transcript.

Farmer's wife-"Why don't you if I had the tools." Farmer's wife -"What sort of tools do you want?" Tramp-"Knife and fork."-Texas

"Of course it is none of my business, but-" it is a sign that he is going to make it his business, and advise you what to do.-Atchison Globe.

last night when Miss Savecash accepted him." Morton-"Why?" unless it's a bargain."-Chicago In-LUCE & HITCHCOCK ter-Ocean.

the story that fellow just told. What made you laugh over it?' "Do you know who he is?" "No Obstetrics and Diseases Who is he?" "He's the head of our firm."-Life.

dear, you must accept some one of your many admirers pretty soon.' Miss Vera Lovely-"Why, manima?" "Because the parlor carpet W. A. SECRIST, M. D. | 2.F. McCabe, M. D. C. A. C near the lounge is getting all worn Surgery, Obstretries and discusses of women and childra. Hours 9 to 10 A. M., 1:30 to 2:30, 8 to 9 P. M.

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Fosdick-I didn't know that. Bloobumber-Yes; you will remember that David gave as his opinion that all men are liars.-West

times."-Texas Siftings.

As an instance of acute hydrophobia, it is difficult to surpass the story of the Scotch boatman who, was a horse drooned at the heed o' distant.-Argonaut.

Friend of the Family-"But ] thought John had a situation. You told me only a day or two ago that. Pumper he was driving a coal wagon."

John's Wife—"Yes; but they have discharged him. He didn't weigh Tin Copper and Sheet who is as good as 300 pounds of coal every time he drives on to the scales."—Boston Transcript.

It was a college town, and he was Frenchman calling on a young Estimates furnished for lady he had known as a boy. The for his name.

"Say an old friend"-very airily "Amicus." Bridget said: "Yes, sor," and re-

"If you plaze, sor, fwhat sort af a cuss did yez say it that ye wuz?"—

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while crossing a loch, was asked if he would take some water with his whisky, and replied: "Na, there the loch two years ago." The head of the loch was twenty-four miles

tired; but in a moment returned to

## Her Point of View.

The devious ways of young women are once more illustrated in little tale of a recent happening. A young woman from a neighboring city came to spend a fortnight with a married friend of this town. The hostess had planned a small theatre party of four for the night of her guest's arrival, and, as the train was a little late, she hurried her off to her own room at once to the only bow (ring) which cannot be pulled "fuss up" while they visited. .

"Dick's brother takes you," began "Dick's brother takes you," began
Dick's wife. "He is awfully nice Keystone Watch Case Company, and I do hope you will like each his style in appearance-dark and petite-and your voice will captivate him, for he adores music; but, Nell, seriously, there is one thing you mustn't do while you are here, and that is, eat onions in any form."

At this Nell groaned and sank back with an exclamation of horror.

"I've done that very thing," she cried theatrically; "I dined on the train, you know, and the soup had onions in it; I ate some potato salad onions in it; I ate some potato salad several with onions, and, worse seven hours; a boundary is worker's everywhore for the greatest boo on earth; costing \$100,000; retail at \$2.2, e.sh or install cents; mammoth flustrations at \$2.2, e.sh or insta Silver and train, you know, and the soup had flavored with onions, and, worse than all, there were some delicious mixed pickles as a relish, which I ate much of by picking out the tender, crisp little onions!"

Then both women looked very solemn.

"It's dreadful, Nell," finally said Mrs. Dick. "Arthur is a perfect crank on the subject; says he thinks nobody should go abroad at all who will eat onions at the risk of making himself disagreeable to all with whom he comes in contact. Oh, dear, I ought to have written you!" But Miss Nell had risen to the emergency.

"Don't worry," she said, confidently: "I see a way out. Let me have a bit of parsley to chew and I'll manage the rest."

A little later the four were seated in the theatre, Arthur and Nell on the best of terms, and nobody but Dick's wife noticed how constantly Nell kept her handkerchief over her mouth. Presently the young diplomat leaned forward, asking her hostess if she had a vinaigrette with her. "No," was the reply, and then everybody asked if she felt faint.

"I'm not ill," said Nell, demurely, "but-I hate to mention itsomebody near me has been eating onions, and their flavor is peculiarly Detroit, Bay City & Alpena R.R. disagreeable to me."

> Arthur swallowed the bait way up to the float. "Let me change places with you, Miss B-," he said earnestly. "I haven't noticed onions in my vicinity, and I sha'n't mind it as you do, though I sympathsic with your dislike. It is atrocious that people have so little regard for the actual rights of other people. There should be an ordinance preventing onion eaters from coming to public places."

Nell prettily deprecated, but finally reluctantly changed places, and, having thus completely and literally thrown him off the scent, continued to increase the favorable impression she had evidently made.

"Oh, you clever girl!" said Mrs. Dick when at the end of the evening she went in to say good-night. "Arthur is completely hoodwinked; he told Dick down stairs just now 15.00 a m... Midland Accommodation... 16.40 a m 16.30 a m... Detroit. Buffalo & N Y Ex. 10.35 a m... Detroit. Buffalo & N Y Ex that you were delightful, and he

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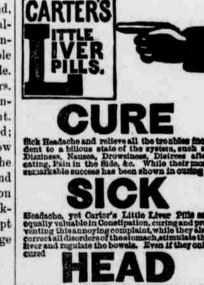
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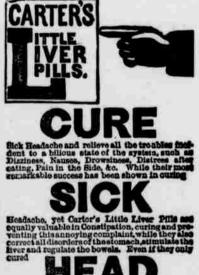
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To test the efficacy of his concoc- difference between vegetable and tion Mr. Hawks has seen an Indian animal life is no greater than that with his hunting knife make a cut between mineral and vegetable life. in his bare leg, just below the knee, Linnaeus, the great Swedish naturaland let the blood run down to his ist, defined the three kingdoms by ankle. Then taking a stick, he saying: "Stones grow; plants grow dipped it into the poison and touch- and feel; animals grow and feel and ed the descending blood at the ankle. | move."

It immediately began to sizzle, as if it were cooking the blood, and the poison followed the blood right up the leg, sizzling its way, until the Indian scraped the blood off that it is possible for that hair-like with the knife. The savage issured filament to maintain its heat and Mr. Hawks that if he allowed the brilliancy, almost unchanged, for poison to reach the mouth of the more than one thousand hours, it is

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as he should direct .- Gibbon's daily

order, "Cut steaks for the porter-

house," soon gave them the name

of porterhouse steaks, by which

they became well known all through

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with the footwear worn in the

dusty streets. And then the feel-

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turned into balconies and veran-

das at a moment's notice, of having

walls that slide away as freely as

do the scenes on the stage, and let

in all out-of-doors or change the

suites of rooms to the shape and

large sirloin steaks. Morrison explained that he had found cuts from "Is it not gratifying," said Cara-way, genially removing some dust the small end of the sirloin of the beef suited his customers best, both from Hooks' shoulder, "is it not inn size and quality, and directed that deed most comforting to reflect thereafter, that instead of sending that our friendship, despite the him the sirloin roasts uncut, he vicissitude of life, still remains as have them cut into chops or steaks, strong and unimpaired as it was in

driven to murder and rapine."

the beginning?" "I should say so," assented Hooks. "Will twenty do this time, do you

think?"-Life the Fly Market, particularly as this "I lost my way in New York," excellent cut rapidly became popu- said Bliggins, "but a new policeman lar in all the public houses in the set me right again." "How do you city. The name is now familiar know he was a new policeman?" wherever the English language is By his great politeness."-Wash-

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